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浜田よしかづ
第1話
試し読み公開中
共に積み重ねてきた
幸せな時間が
止まろうとしていた。
CHAPTER 81:
KAZUYA AND AZAMI 3
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■ POSSESSION

A CONDITION WHERE A TSUKUMOGAMI THAT IS BEING USED TAKES POSSESSION AND CONTROL OF A PERSON.
IT OCCURS MORE EASILY WHEN THE TSUKUMOGAMI IS POWERFUL OR THE OWNER IS IN A WEAK STATE.
IT CAN BE BROKEN UP BY DESTROYING THE POSSESSING TSUKUMOGAMI.
BUT IF THIS CONDITION PERSISTS FOR A LONG TIME, THE ASSIMILATION PROGRESSES.
DESTROYING THE OWNER AND TSUKUMOGAMI TOGETHER BECOMES THE ONLY OPTION.

I WILL... KILL...
I WILL...
I...
I WILL KILL KAZUYA.
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KA-NA-KAAAA!
SHE'S HEADED FOR KAZUYA!!
KANAKA'S POSSESSED AND TRYING TO MURDER KAZUYA!
I MUST STOP HER!

DESTROY THE TSUKUMOGAMI, AZAMI.
HOW TO DISPOSE OF THE POSSESSION?
BUT, AZAMI IS AN "AMAGOGI" CREATED BY KAZUYA!
THEREFORE, IF SOMEONE OTHER THAN KAZUYA DESTROYS HER, KAZUYA WILL BE HIT BY CURSE BACKLASH!
THAT WON'T DO!!

THE CHOICES I HAVE LEFT ARE...
RE-STRAIN KANA-KA!!

NO GOOD!! IN THAT CASE...
I'LL BUY TIME UNTIL KAZUYA CAN ESCAPE TO THE SHRINE!!!

UGH...!
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WE'VE ALREADY CAUGHT UP?!
DODGE, YOU FOOL!!

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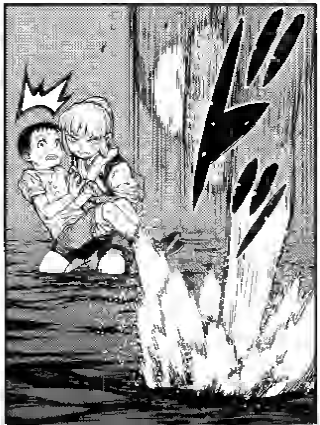
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KIRIHA, WHAT'S GOING ON?!
WHAT HAPPENED TO MOM?!
EHH?!
CALM DOWN, KAZUYA! KANAKA HAS BEEN POSSESSED BY THAT TSUKUMOGAMI!
B-BUT...
WE'LL KEEP DODGING AND GO TO THE SHRINE! KUKURI WILL HELP!
WE'RE NO MATCH FOR HER!
JUST THINK OF HOW TO ESCAPE!
DON'T ARGUE! SHE'S COMING TO KILL YOU!

SUP-
PORT...
DE-
FLECT!!
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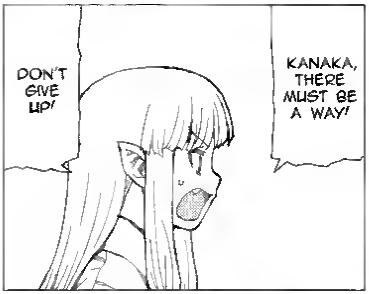
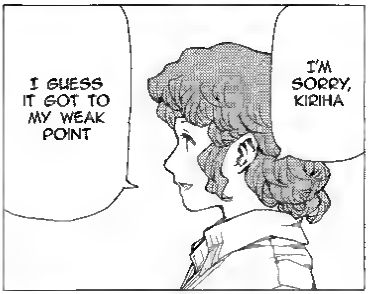
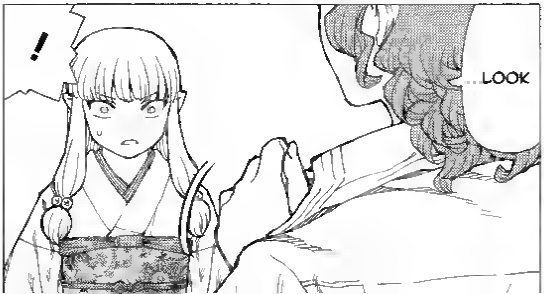
DEFLECT!!
DEFLECT!!
DEFLECT!!
DEFLECT!!
WE CAN'T EVEN ESCAPE!
DAMNIT! MY HANDS ARE FULL DEFENDING!


KANAKA, THERE MUST BE A WAY!
DON'T GIVE UP!


I'M SORRY, KIRIHA
I GUESS IT GOT TO MY WEAK POINT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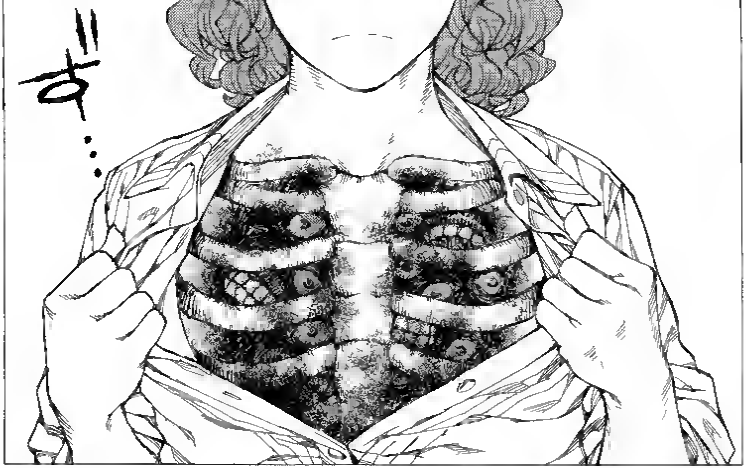
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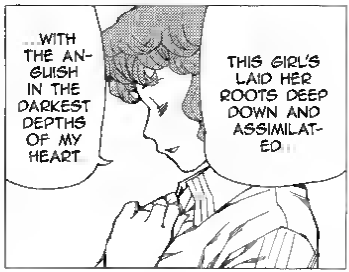
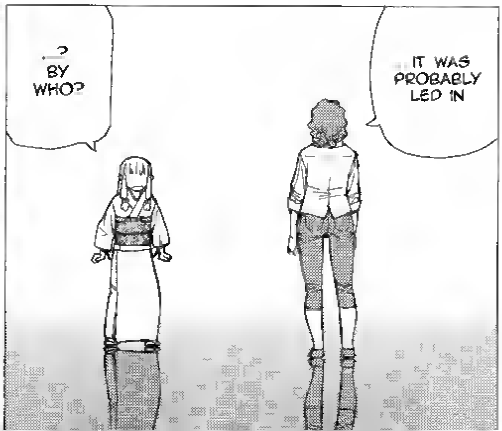
THAT PROGRESSION'S TOO FAST.

UGH!
IT'S TOO LATE.


...WITH THE ANGUISH IN THE DARKEST DEPTHS OF MY HEART.
THIS GIRL'S LAID HER ROOTS DEEP DOWN AND ASSIMILATED.

I DON'T KNOW...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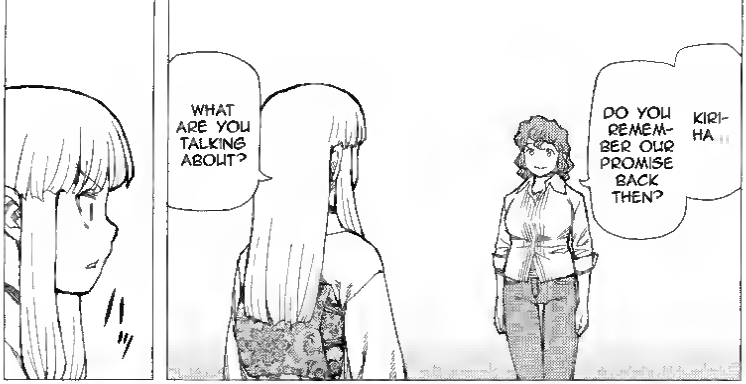
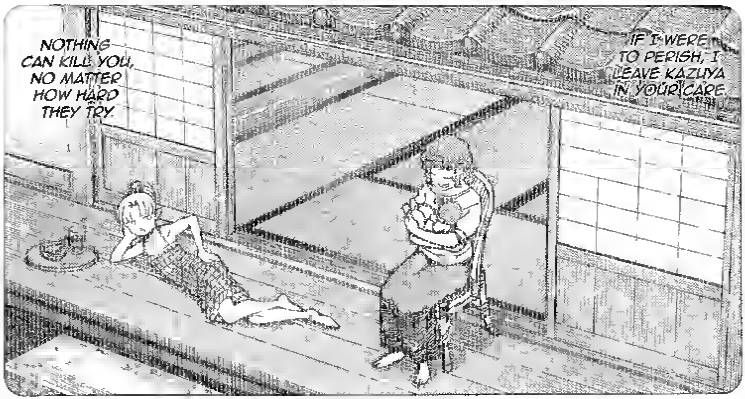
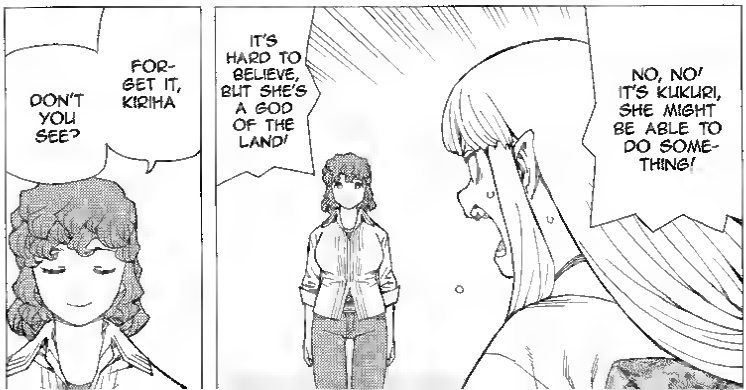
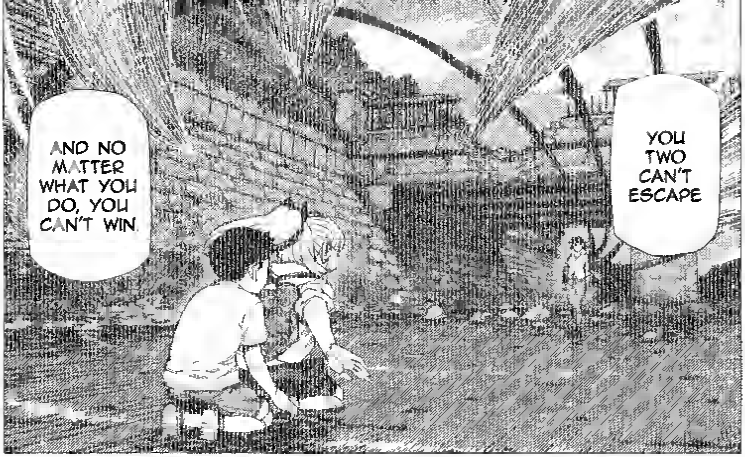
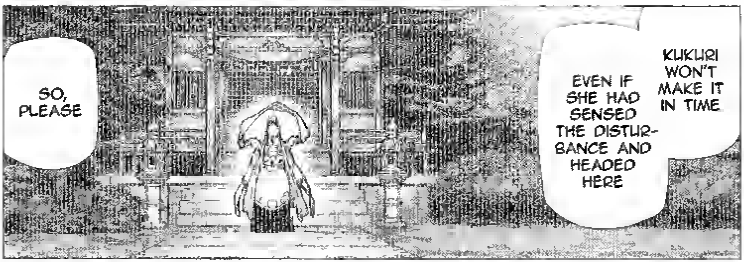
BY WHO?
...IT WAS PROBABLY LED IN


KIRIHA...
DO YOU REMEMBER OUR PROMISE BACK THEN?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

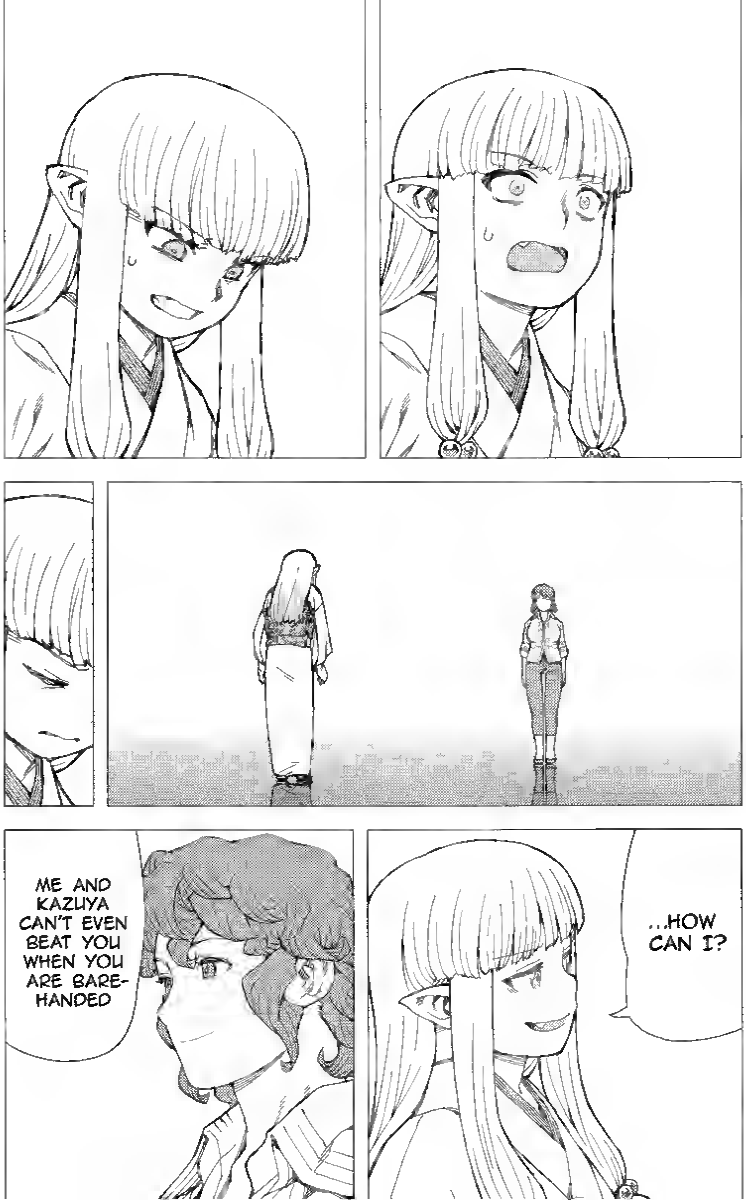

NOTHING CAN KILL YOU, NO MATTER HOW HARD THEY TRY.
IF I WERE TO PERISH, I LEAVE KAZUYA IN YOUR CARE.

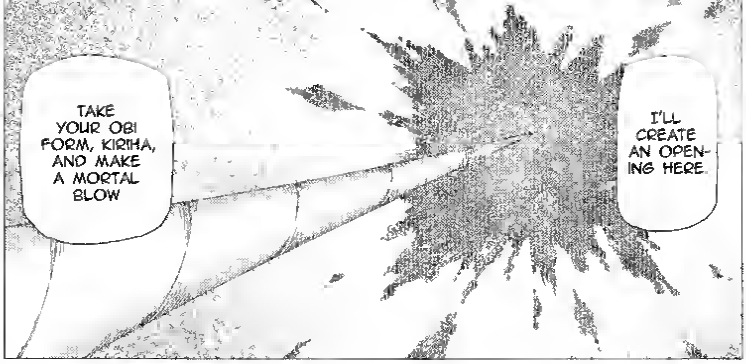

FORGET IT, KIRIHA
DON'T YOU SEE?
IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE, BUT SHE'S A GOD OF THE LAND!
NO, NO! IT'S KUKURI, SHE MIGHT BE ABLE TO DO SOMETHING!


YOU TWO CAN'T ESCAPE
AND NO MATTER WHAT YOU DO, YOU CAN'T WIN.


KUKURI WON'T MAKE IT IN TIME
EVEN IF SHE HAD SENSED THE DISTURBANCE AND HEADED HERE
SO, PLEASE

FINISH IT.


ME AND KAZUYA CAN'T EVEN BEAT YOU WHEN YOU ARE BARE-HANDED
..HOW CAN I?


I'LL CREATE AN OPENING HERE.
TAKE YOUR OBI FORM, KIRIHA, AND MAKE A MORTAL BLOW

BEING ATTACKED BY YOU WHEN YOU ARE BEING USED BY KAZUYA IS SYNONYMOUS WITH BEING ATTACKED BY KAZUYA
THEREFORE, THE CURSE BACKLASH WON'T OCCUR

IF I DIE, THE ASSIMILATED TSUKUMOGAMI WILL DIE TOO

GOT IT, KIRIHA?
YOU'LL GET ONE CHANCE

PLEASE
YEAH

THAT ONE MOMENT WILL BE THE LAST CHANCE!
KAZUYA, LISTEN UP! KANAKA WILL CREATE AN OPENING SOON!

USE ME TO PIERCE KANAKA'S HEART!

PIERCE KANAKA'S HEART
WH-WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, KIRIHA?!
IF I DO THAT, MOM WILL DIE!
LET'S ESCAPE TO THE SHRINE AND GET MISS KUKURI
THAT WON'T DO!
KANAKA HAS ASSIMILATED WITH AZAMI! EVEN KUKURI CAN'T SEPARATE THEM!
IF I'M KILLED OR DESTROYED—
IF WE MISS THIS CHANCE, WE CAN'T ESCAPE OR WIN!
ALL THAT'S LEFT WILL BE KANAKA, WHO'S NO LONGER A HUMAN!
IN OTHER WORDS, ANNIHILATION!
SHE'LL BE SUBJECT TO SUPPRESSION BY TSUZURA TEMPLE!
THERE IS NO OTHER WAY!!!

THERE MUST BE SOME-THING! WE WILL FIND A WAY!
NO! NO! NO!
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THE ATTACK STOPPED?
PLEASE, KIRI-HA!!!
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NOW !!!
WITH KAZUYA'S POWER, I'LL UNLEASH AN ATTACK!
THAT IS!
THE SAME AS KAZUYA STRIKING THE FINISHING BLOW!
SPIRAL WEAVE!

KANAKA...

TO BE CONTINUED 10.24!